



Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure
Examining Group 2877

PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0073/016001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yuji AKISHIBA Art Unit: 2877
Application No.: 10/804,183 Examiner: Akanbi, I.
Filing Date: March 19, 2004
Title : DISPLACEMENT GAUGE AND DISPLACEMENT MEASURING METHOD

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2007,
applicant hereby submits the enclosed papers including an
Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116.

The required fees are calculated below:

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| Total Claims | <u>7</u> | - | <u>20</u> | = | <u>0</u> | \$0.00 |
| Independent | <u>2</u> | - | <u>3</u> | = | <u>0</u> | <u>\$0.00</u> |

TOTAL FEE DUE: \$0.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-2586, REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0073/016001. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: March 16, 2007

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In response to the Office Action dated January 4, 2007,
please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.